GRAPHICS
WORKING GROUP REPORT

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Attendees:

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It was agreed that the graphics area was

a) Very important to the future of Forth
b) A mess (that we were not going to solve in an
   afternoon).

The following individuals therefore volunteered to
constitute themselves as the continuing Graphics Working
Group: John Mullen, Don VanSyckel, John Hart, Alan Win-
field, and Hemant Patel.

Their goal is to publish a recommended Forth graphics ex-
tension word set.

The intent is to allow a machine independent method in
Forth as specifying the creation of colored pictures, with
initial emphasis on line drawings.

The first effort of the group will be to study the
existing GKS and core graphics standards, as well as any
present implementations of graphics in Forth about which
they can obtain information.

Those interested in making suggestions or contributing
to the work of the Group should contact John Mullen.

The group will present a formal report to the next
Rochester Forth Conference and will submit interim reports
to Forth Dimensions when they think they have something
important to say to the Forth Community.